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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

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Sir:

The following preliminary amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE ABSTRACT

Please replace the Abstract with the attached revised Abstract.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Amended) A component, comprising:

a glass substrate;

an organic light-emitting diode arranged on said glass substrate; and

a glass cover, arranged over the organic light-emitting diode and glued at an edge to the glass substrate, said cover being produced from a glass plate by three-dimensional removal of material using a blasting method using commercial crystal corundum having an average particle size of $30 \, \mu m$ and a blasting pressure of 5 bar.